GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
LOK SABHA

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ACT ON DATA PROTECTION
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

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(a) whether the Government propose to bring out an Act on the Data Protection with regard to Information Technology;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(DR. SANJAY PASWAN)

(a): Yes, sir.

(b) and (c): An Expert Committee has been set up to evolve suitable legislation for Data Protection in the country. Its Report is expected to be finalized by September/October, 2002.